HARD TO PREPARE

Attempts to Make Them From "Left Overs" Means Hardship for Children.

ONE WOMAN TELLS HOW SHE DOES IT

Prepares Dainty Meals, But Arranges for Them Each Time on the Night Before.

To mention "lunch basket" to the average housekeeper is to cause her meek and lowly spirit to turn at once to rebellion. I heard a very capable woman say the other day that she had rather order meals for her household for a week than prepare lunches for her three children for one day.

Then she admitted that the reason for this was probably that she expected to make the lunches from left-overs, from the crumbs that fell from the table, as it were, and that always when at the last moment she went to look for these crumbs she found them conspicuous by their absence.

The trouble with most lunches which are prepared in a hurry is that they are messy. When the basket or the box which contains them is opened it is always found that the jelly had run over on the ham, the sandwiches are mashed and the eggs untidy. Altogether it is so unappetizing it looks that only a hungry child could eat it.

Husband Takes Lunch. I know a housekeeper whose husband.

a lawyer, is so busy during the day that very often he has not a moment to snatch for midday refreshment.

She, excellent housekeeper and devoted wife that she is, makes up a lunch for him accordingly, which he carries downtown in the leather case in which he is supposed to have briefs. And always this is a dainty luncheon. It is arranged for the night before, and pre-pared in a few moments in the morning.

The piece de resistance consists of sandwiches, for she confesses her absolute inability to get away from them, but they are dainty sandwiches. If ham used as the filling, it is ground and mixed with mayonnaise and paprika and into a savory filling. Sometimes chopped celery and nuts mixed with mayon naise are used for the sandwiches,

naise are used for the sandwiches, sometimes beef chopped and highly seasoned, and sometimes Swiss cheese with mustard. In every case the sandwich is wrapped neatly in oiled paper.

It is a curious thing to the onlooker why the housekeeper so often considers this matter of wrapping her sandwiches a hardship, when the paper is chear in price and the wrapping takes so short a time. And the housekeeper herself can't explain her reluctance to undertake this detail, except to argue that is is troublesome, as if everything worth while weren't troublesome.

Van Buren's mischievous face is today. And another theater box will go to the one who first fixes her identity. Only women readers of the page will be permitted to participate in the guessing contest.

Among the answers to last Monday's query were the following:

Mabel Van Buren.

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Miss Elizabeth Owens, 918 M street northwest.

George Orley, 617 Seventh street northwest.

K. G. Swegler, 1813 F street northwest.

Mrs. J. P. Roeder, Rock Creek Church

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May Vokes.

Salad in Paper Box.

Sometimes my friend the lawyer finds a little pasteboard ice cream box filled with salad from dinner the day before in

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH DAYS.

Sunday, October 25, has been named as Hospital Sunday in the Episcopal churches of Washington, when the offerings will be given to the Episcopal

GOOD LUNCHES ARE ACTRESS' SECRET IS OUT ANSWERS GIVEN



MISS MABEL VAN BUREN.

Mrs. Grace I. Eastwood, First to Recognize Picture, Gets Theater Box. Here she is! The same smiling face which you could not see last Monday when she turned her back on you, now wishes you "Good afternoon!" Because she was the first to send in a correct answer to last Monday's query concerning the identity of the young woman whose pretty head was turned away, Mrs. Grace I. Eastwood, of 729 Gresbam place northwest, will receive box at the Columbia Theater next Monday night to see the first performance of "The Great Question." The box is offered through the courtesy of the management of the Columbia Theater.

Miss Van Buren, who was the mysterious woman of the picture until today, has made many friends this week by her ingenuous portrayal of the role of Molly Wood in "The Virginian." The actress has been particularly popular among the schoolgirls in Washington, and this afternoon a large contingent from the high schools attended the matinee performance and afterward went mixed with mayonnaise and paprika and to call on her in her dressing room. Miss Van Buren explained away many of a little chopped clive or pickle or celery the little illusions of the stage to the girls. She is an expert motorist and a lover of all outdoor exercises.

Another mysterious woman will appear next Monday afternoon where Miss Van Buren's mischievous face is today. And another theater box will go to

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May Vokes.

Rose Elliott, 1336 Corcoran street

POINTED PARAGRAPHS. There is nothing platonic about a

If a small boy is quiet his mother wonders what ails him.

If a man expects a woman to be reas-onable she thinks he is unreasonable.— Chicago News.

man's head, which were found in the 2,000-foot tunnel at Copperreid, Nev., have been pronounced genuine by Herace Chapman, of the University of Pennsylvania. The adjoining strata indicated to the discoverers that the fossil eggs had been buried to a depth of said the native. sil eggs had been buried to a depth of about 7,000 feet.

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Chicago News.

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AND THEN IT RAINED. .

The stranger looked thoughtful. "Have you tried a want ad?" he mild-

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Gypsy Marshall Palmist.

M. L. C.—The manger of Glen Echo may be able to give you some informa-ion regarding the paimist, Gypsy Mar-hall.

Value of Foreign Coins.

J. W.-Writ. to the Numismatic Bank, Boston, for the value of foreign coins. Midwinter Rr.ces.

V. D. M.—There will be no more races except at Tampa, Fig. The usual mid-winter races will be held there prob-ably, though no dates have yet been set

Go to City Hall.

I. I. B.—The clerk of the court, City Hall, will be able to direct you how to ge about obtaining your final papers.

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Columbian Half-Dollars. M. L.—There is a 2-cent premium on the Columbian half dollar of 1892.

Rsebud Land Drawing.

N. M. F.-If you will make inquiry at the Land Office you will be this to get the information you desire concerning the conditions of registering for the Rosebud drawing.

Trains for Brides. Amy—If a bride wears a veil she should have ner gown mad with a train, though it need not be long. If she wears a hat, she may follow her own preference in the matter.

Acknowledging Wedding Invitations. A Reader—If you attend the church wedding there is no necessity to ac-krowledge the invitation. If you cannot attend write a note to the bride.

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